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Application of: Morré and Morré

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For: METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING
AGENTS THAT INHIBIT SERUM
AGING FACTORS AND USES AND
COMPOSITIONS THEREOF

Attorney Docket No.: 8951-124-999

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 14, 2001, be extended for a period of three month(s) from December 14, 2001 to and including March 14, 2002.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$920.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date March 14, 2002

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